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Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

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Senate met at 9:59:40 a.m. in pro forma session, and adjourned at 10:00:13 a.m. until 9:30 a.m., Tuesday, February 13, 2001.

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

CALIFORNIA ENERGY CRISIS

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: on Friday, February 9, Committee concluded hearings to examine the current state of California's energy crisis and the use of the Defense Production Act to address this crisis, after receiving testimony from

Eric J. Fygi, Acting General Counsel, and Paul F. Carrier, Director of the Office of Energy Emergencies, both of the Department of Energy.

NATIONAL DEFENSE BUDGET

Committee on the Budget: Committee concluded hearings to examine the current outlook for the national defense budget, focusing on funding and structural reform needed to preserve our national security, after receiving testimony from Robert J. Lieberman, Deputy Inspector General, Department of Defense; Adm. William A. Owens, USN (Ret.), Bellevue, Washington, former Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff; and Andrew F. Krepinevich, Jr., Center for Strategic and Budgetary Assessments, Washington, D.C.